

COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)

Docket No.
96-001-C2

Application Of: JAY S. WALKER et al.

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3713

Invention: DATABASE DRIVEN ONLINE DISTRIBUTED TOURNAMENT SYSTEM

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 6, 2001 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: October 6, 2001 until: December 6, 2001

Date

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	10 -	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	7 -	7 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$400.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$400.00

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The fee for this amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of \$480.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0271 in the amount of \$480.00
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0271
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Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

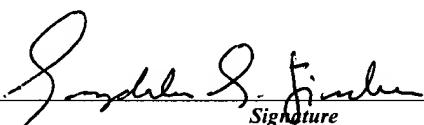
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0271 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Please note:

When this application was initially filed on January 24, 2001, there was an error in the count of independent claims. Accordingly, Applicants submitted fees for 7 independent claims instead of 8.

Therefore, the USPTO is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 50-0271 with \$80.00 to rectify the unintentional error, in addition to the \$400.00 due for the amendment filed herein.

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